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1. AMBASSADOR SENT COMMISSIONER (EQUIVALENT TO MINISTER) OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS LETTER MARCH 24 TRANSMITTING TEXT OF PRESIDENT'S MARCH 17 UN SPEECH. LETTER INCLUDED FOLLOWING: QUOTE. SEVERAL MATTERS THE PRESIDENT DISCUSSED SEEM TO ME OF SPECIAL INTEREST IN GHANA: (1) INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ISSUES. THE PRESIDENT STATED (PAGE 4, PARA-GRAPH 2) THAT 'THE UNITED STATES IS WILLING TO CONSIDER, WITH A POSITIVE AND OPEN ATTITUDE, THE NEGOTIATION OF AGREEMENTS TO STABILIZE COMMODITY PRICES, INCLUDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMON FUNDING ARRANGEMENT FOR FINANCING BUFFER STOCKS WHERE THEY ARE A PART OF INDI-VIDUAL, NEGOTIATED AGREEMENTS.' HE ALSO SAID THAT 'THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES MUST ACQUIRE FULLER PARTICIPATION IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMIC DECISION-MAKING PROCES.' UNQUOTE.
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2. USIS BIWEEKLY "AMANNEE," GIVEN WIDE DISTRIBUTION AMONG GHANAIAN OPINION LEADERS, INCLUDED FULL TEXT OF ITEM ON COMMON FUND CARRIED AS AF-58 IN AFRICA FILE 48 OF MARCH 10.

3. DURING CALL MARCH 30 ON SUPERVISING DIRECTOR, ECO-

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NOMIC RELATIONS (CLELAND), MINISTRY FOREIGN AFFAIRS ON
OTHER MATTERS (SEPTELS), E/C COUNS TOOK OCCASION TO HAND
OVER COPIES OF ITEMS ABOVE. CLELAND NOTED WITH
PLEASURE THAT HE THOUGHT UNDER CARTER ADMINISTRATION
US AND GHANAIAN COMMODITIES POSITIONS "WERE MOVING
CLOSER TOGETHER."
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